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RE:

Petition of Tennessee UNE-P Coalition to Open a Contested Case Proceeding to Declare Unbundled Switching an Unrestricted Unbundled Network Element; Docket No. 02-00207

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed are two copies of the **CONFIDENTIAL & PROPRIETARY** Discovery Response of KMC Telecom III, Inc. to BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s First Set of Discovery Requests. The original has been forwarded to Jonelle Phillips, counsel for BellSouth. Please date stamp one copy and return it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope also enclosed.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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